

Chapter 2 The Chemistry of Life

Chapter Vocabulary Review

Completion *On the lines provided, complete the following sentences.*

1. Protons and neutrons together form the _____ ,
which is at the center of the atom.
2. A pure substance that consists entirely of one type of atom is called
a(an) _____ .
3. A chemical _____ is a substance formed by the
combination of two or more elements in definite proportions.
4. The two main types of chemical bonds are _____
and _____ .
5. The slight attractions that develop between the oppositely charged
regions of nearby molecules are called _____ .

Short Answer *On the lines provided, answer the following questions.*

6. How do a sodium atom and a positive sodium ion differ?

7. How do cohesion and adhesion differ?

8. In a salt solution, why is water the solvent and salt the solute?

9. How do acids and bases differ?

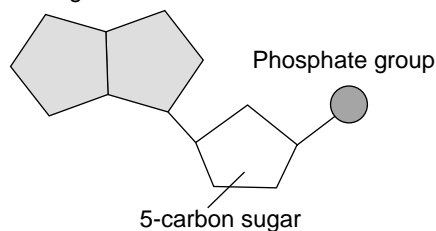
10. Describe the roles of a catalyst and a substrate in a chemical reaction.

Matching On the lines provided, write the letter of the definition that best matches each term.

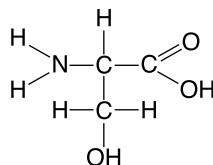
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| _____ 11. polymer | a. atoms of the same element that differ in the number of neutrons |
| _____ 12. amino acid | b. dissolved compound that prevents sharp swings in pH |
| _____ 13. monosaccharide | c. large compound formed by the joining of small compounds, called monomers |
| _____ 14. isotopes | d. catalyst that speeds up chemical reactions in cells |
| _____ 15. buffer | e. monomer of a protein |
| _____ 16. nucleic acid | f. process that produces a new set of chemicals |
| _____ 17. enzyme | g. single sugar molecule |
| _____ 18. chemical reaction | h. stores and transmits genetic information |
| _____ 19. lipid | i. part of waterproof coverings |

Labeling Diagrams For questions 20 and 21, identify the diagram as one of the following: nucleotide, amino acid, or lipid. Place your answer on the lines provided below each diagram.

20. Nitrogenous base

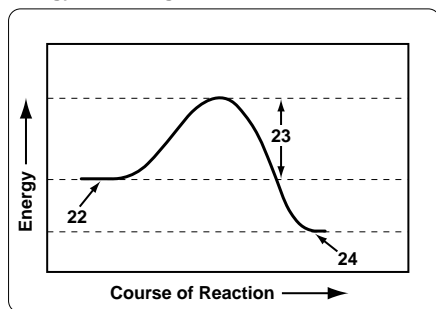


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Labeling Diagrams On the lines provided, label the parts of the reaction as one of the following: products, reactants, or activation energy.

Energy-Releasing Reaction



22. _____

23. _____

24. _____